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In re application of: Joachim Kiefer, et al.

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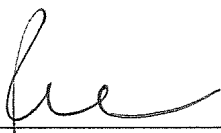
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING PROTON-CONDUCTING POLYMER MEMBRANES,  
IMPROVED POLYMER MEMBRANES AND THE USE THEREOF IN FUEL CELLS

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## STATUS INQUIRY REPLY

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